

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office of the Governor

Whereas, Dr. Robert J. Tosterud began his teaching career at The University of South Dakota (USD) during the 1991-1992 academic year; and,

Whereas, During his tenure, Dr. Tosterud served as the Freeman Chair of Entrepreneurial Studies and Professor of Economics; and,

Whereas, Dr. Tosterud has served as a member of the Governor's Council of Economic Advisors since its inception and will complete 18 years of service to that group on June 30, 2009; and,

Whereas, Dr. Tosterud founded the Community and Family Enterprise (CAFÉ) small town development program at USD, which promotes rural community development in South Dakota communities; and,

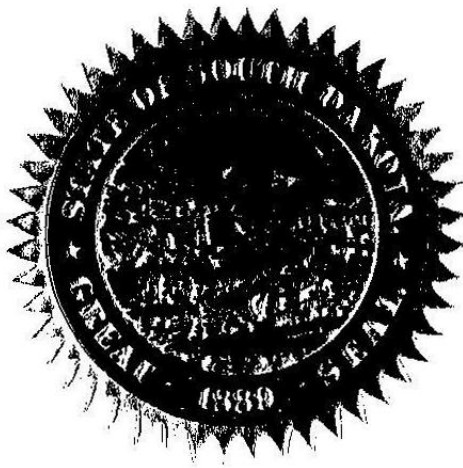
Whereas, Dr. Tosterud served as faculty advisor for the Entrepreneurship Team (E-Team), a student organization which recently won the Organizational Leadership Award from the South Dakota Board of Regents; and,

Whereas, Dr. Tosterud's last official duties performed for The University of South Dakota were May 21, 2009, and it is fitting and proper as governor to recognize the numerous accomplishments and dedication of this outstanding citizen:


Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim June 30, 2009, as

DR. ROBERT J. TOSTERUD DAY

in South Dakota.



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Seventeenth Day of June in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Nine.


M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:


Chris Nelson, Secretary of State